

## Important Information

- The City of Newton has offered summer day camp programs since 1982 when the first four-week pilot program was held at the Albemarle Playground/ Horace Mann School. The popularity of this initial program led to the formation of Albemarle Acres, Centre Acres, Acres in the Falls, and now Auburndale Station.
- In 2015, Auburndale Station will offer seven one week sessions between June 28<sup>th</sup> and August 14<sup>th</sup>. Campers may register for any number of weeks.
- Registration will be ONLINE this year. You can register at [activityreg.com](http://activityreg.com)
- We offer an extended day program (for an additional fee) before and after camp for the convenience of camp families.
- Children are placed in age and grade appropriate groups with about one counselor for every 5 campers.
- All children receive an Auburndale Station T-shirt which must be worn on field trip days. Campers should come to camp dressed in comfortable, appropriate clothing including sneakers and socks. While there is no swimming at Auburndale Station, campers should still bring a bathing suit and towel each day for water play. Lunch and snacks should be brought from home.
- Parents may request in writing copies of any and all camp policies.
- **MASTER CARD or VISA accepted.**
- **For information about scholarships, please call 617-796-1500**



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124 Vernon Street  
Newton, MA 02458



# 2015

**A Day Camp for Children  
entering Kindergarten through  
5<sup>th</sup> grade**

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## What Was Auburndale Station?

In 1881 the B&A Railroad began construction of several stations in Newton. Auburndale Station was the first of many stations constructed in Newton. In the early 1960's the Auburndale Station was torn down to make way for the Massachusetts Turnpike. The Auburndale Station was located where the MBTA commuter rail stop now lies between the bridges at Lexington St. and Woodland Rd.



## Location and Facilities

Auburndale Station Summer Program is held at the Williams School located at 141 Grove Street in Auburndale, Massachusetts. The area has plenty of outdoor space and fresh air for a day camp program. There are playing fields and a playground for outdoor use. The school building provides ample space for indoor play, arts and crafts, and other inside activities.

### Sample Daily Schedule

8:00 – 8:30	Extended Day
8:30 – 8:40	Morning Sign In
8:40 – 8:55	AM Announcements
9:00 – 9:40	Activity Period 1
9:45 – 10:25	Activity Period 2
10:30 – 10:55	Snack
11:00 – 11:40	Activity Period 3
11:45 – 12:25	Activity Period 4
12:30 – 1:05	Lunch & Free Play
1:10 – 3:20	Special Event
3:25 – 3:30	Closing and Sign Out
3:30 – 6:00	Extended Day

## Dates

Auburndale Station will run from June 29<sup>th</sup> through August 14<sup>th</sup> 2015. Registration begins ONLINE for Newton residents on the Wednesday after the Camp Fair (January 28<sup>th</sup> or February 1<sup>st</sup> (snow day) 2015) and on March 1<sup>st</sup> for non-residents and continues until the program fills. Participants may register for any of the 7 weeks.

## Ages

Auburndale Station is suitable for children enrolled in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall. The camp serves the residents of Newton and many surrounding communities. Participants may enroll for any or all of the seven weeks!

## Activities

Campers participate in a variety of activities with their group each day. Activities include:

- Sports
- Field games
- Inside games
- Playground
- Arts and crafts
- Gym activities
- Music
- Water play

## Field Trips & Special Events

A part of every camper's experience, field trips and special events are cherished activities. Field trips typically occur every other week and may include trips to the West Newton Cinema, Zoos, Baseball Games, and Bowling.

Special Events occur every week and involve the entire camp. Special events may include summer sledding, animal shows, and other hands on activities or demonstrations.



## Staff

The strength of the program lies in our caring, qualified, enthusiastic, and responsible camp staff. A team of carefully screened high school and college students are paired with motivated professionals to provide the skills and energy needed to ensure the success and enjoyment of each camper.



Staff members are certified in First Aid and CPR. The staff and the program meet the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Camping standards, and the Newton Health Department licenses the program.

## Payment Information

Fees:	Resident	Non-Resident
<b>Standard Day</b>	<b>\$185.00</b>	<b>\$200.00</b>
<b>Extended Day</b>	<b>\$235.00</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>
<b>Till 6:00</b>	<b>\$260.00</b>	<b>\$275.00</b>

Registration is ONLINE at [Activityreg.com](http://Activityreg.com).

Fees listed are per child per week. A \$30 non refundable deposit per week is due when registering. People canceling a program on or before May 15<sup>th</sup> will be given a refund of the program cost minus the \$30 non refundable deposit paid at registration. There will be no refunds issued for programs after May 15<sup>th</sup>.

A one-time \$25.00 late fee will be assessed for registrations and payments received after May 15, 2015. Auburndale Station accepts cash, checks, Visa or Mastercard payments.